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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated July 13, 2006 issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified Application. A response to the July 13, 2006 Office Action was due October 13, 2006. Applicants are concurrently filing a Petition for a Three (3)-Month Extension of Time, including the required fee. Therefore, a response is due January 13, 2007. Since January 13, 2007 falls out on a Saturday, a response is due the next business day, i.e. January 17, 2007. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows: Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.